

## LOCAL.

**WANTED—**  
500 bushels of Corn at J. Wallace Cannon's.

The Rev. G. A. Hough will accept the thanks of this office for the first blackberries of the season.

**DELICIOUS STRAWBERRIES—**  
Dr. J. T. Butler will accept our thanks for a bowl of delicious strawberries, gathered from his excellent garden.

Rev. G. A. Hough will be installed by the Rev. Dr. Bowman of Charleston, on the 4th Sunday in this month, at the Lutheran church in this place. The public are respectfully invited.

Wallace Cannon's customers are determined that business shall lag down his way. They buy early and often from him. His store is crowded with good things. His prices are low.

Mr. Wm. Bryan, an apprentice at Mr. Riggs' shop, mended the fly to our press the other day in a very neat and workmanlike manner. He knows his business.

Mr. John Ogren can be found now in the brick store recently occupied by Kohn & Bro.—McMaster's old stand. He has a full stock of saddles, harness, &c.

Can't our City Fathers build us a fine market-house and city-hall? If so, then won't they? Come, please, erect a monument to your everlasting fame &c. Let's have the market-house by all means.

Mr. Franz Briggmann has purchased the corner lot from Mr. W. A. Meroney, and will soon have a large store erected thereon. Frank is a thorough-going young merchant, and we are glad to know that he has got on Main street at last.

**IRISH POTATOES—**  
Mr. Augustus Fischer laid upon our table, during the week, a couple of very large Irish Potatoes, grown in his garden at this place. Fischer is generally successful in everything he undertakes.

The Court of General Sessions will begin on Monday. Our indefatigable Solicitor, Major C. W. Buttz is here, preparing indictments for the Grand Jury. We are pleased to say that the Solicitor looks hearty, an announcement his many friends in this County will receive with gratification.

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Lewis Fischer attends to the grocery department of his brother's fine establishment on the corner, and attracts scores of buyers by his clever and courteous conduct towards customers. It is said that he has a sweet-tooth, but never allows her to make him neglect his business.

We publish elsewhere an impromptu poem, written directly after the closing of the polls in Blackville, on the 12th inst. The author is one of Blackville's most influential citizens, and it was at great cost that we succeeded in getting him to wake his Muse for the benefit of our readers.

We learn that arrangements are being made by Mr. Merony, (who knows how to keep a hotel) for the purchase of Col. Hutson's spacious lot, North West corner of Court House Square, for the purpose of erecting thereon a mammoth hotel. We wish him all success. Such a hotel is needed here, and one by Merony would meet with a grand success.

**PERSONAL—**  
We were pleased to see H. P. Cooke, Esq., upon our streets during the present week. It will be remembered that Mr. Cooke has been confined to a sick room for sometime, and once or twice pronounced to be very low; but we are gratified to announce his complete recovery to his friends, and hope to see him live long and happy.

His Honor, Judge J. P. Reed, opened an extra term of the Court of General Sessions here last Monday. His Honor was prompt at his post of duty, and has dispatched a great deal of business this week with his usual energy and success. The regular term of the Court of General Sessions and Common Pleas opens Monday next. Judge Reed is in the enjoyment of excellent health, and looks like he will weather a four years' term on the bench without becoming dyspeptic. We wish him success.

The new brick building being erected by our worthy citizen Dr. W. S. Barton on Russel street, is assuming voluminous proportions. The building will be two stories—dwelling up stairs and two stores beneath. We learn that the whole building is already rented, and will be occupied as soon as completed. There is plenty of room for more substantial stores and dwelling houses in our Town. The demand appears to be exhaustive.

We doubt if there is a merchant in Town doing a better business at this time than that popular caterer to ones wants, Hon. Joab W. Moseley, our efficient and worthy Mayor. He has earned and made a reputation and success in his business by liberal and fair dealing with his host of customers, and a customer once gained he never loses—hence they are ever on the increase. He keeps his two stores well stocked with cheap and desirable goods, such as please all classes of customers.

The effort to raise money to buy the instruments for Fordham's Band, is meeting with considerable success so far as talk is concerned. We know that the amount will be raised, but subscribe at once gentlemen, and let's have the music as soon as possible. Under the arrangements entered into with Prof. Fordham, the instruments will be the property, and under the control of the contributors or purchasers. Read the resolution heading the petition and put down your money at once. One hundred and seventy-five dollars will buy the instruments for a first class organization.

The following named parties had their lands sold by the County Treasurer last week for taxes due for 1874. Parties who desire to redeem the same can do so within ninety days:

Amelia Township—Mrs. Geo. Gates, Est. Thos. Oliver.

Cow-Caw Township—Larry Govan, J. F. Jackson, Angus McClain.

Cow-Castle Township—Mrs. Ellen Moore.

Goodland Township—S. J. Heathington.

Hebron Township—Matilda E. Argoe.

Liberty Township—Joseph Gleaton.

Pine Grove Township—Mrs. E. M. Haiglar.

Poplar Township—Geo. Elliott, Mrs. C. J. Stewart, Mrs. Julia Wiles.

Providence Township—Peter Prophet.

Union Township—Geo. S. McMichael.

Willow Township—Matilda E. Argoe.

Zion Township—M. L. Baldwin, Est. J. H. Felder, Mrs. Lavinia McMichael.

Tracks of the above named taxpayers were bought in by parties in the County, those belonging to the following persons were forfeited to the State for want of bidders:

Cow-Caw Township—N. G. Whetstone.

Cow-Castle Township—O. L. Carn, Bill Frederick, Israel Stephens.

Poplar Township—Joe Adams, Caroline Paulling.

Providence Township—G. A. Meyers.

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**POPULAR TOWNSHIP,**  
May 10th. 1875.

Editor News and Times:  
On the 13th of March we held a meeting, and organized the St. Matthews Debating Society.

The following gentlemen were elected to serve for the first quarter:

W. D. Palmer—President.

Carson Felder—Vice President.

W. E. Murray—Secretary.

J. F. Parler—Treasurer.

J. F. Livingston, E. M. Parler, A. M. Snell, Committee to arrange subjects.

Since organizing we have met several times for debate, and at each meeting, the debaters did themselves credit.

We are about twenty-five strong and have fair prospects of being further augmented.

Very Respectfully

W. E. M.

A bird is known by its note and a man by his talk.

Troubles are like dogs, the smaller they are the more they annoy you.

Charles Lamb says a laugh is worth a hundred groans in any market.

All things except reason and order, are possible with a mob.

The Mormon apostles who are preaching through Canada are reaping a bountiful harvest of proselyte. The ignorant people to whom they chiefly address themselves embrace the Mormon creed without a thought of its hideous features.

"The crisis is close at hand," are the closing words of a dispatch from Corpus Christi, Texas, which is full of interest, and we think plainly points to trouble, unless our government acts more promptly, than it yet has in Mexican affairs.

The Barnwell Sentinel says: "The storm which occurred here on Saturday evening last, and laid waste so many other sections, was terrific beyond description. Thousands of dollars would not repair the damage done in various parts of Barnwell County. Fencing, out buildings, trees, entire crops, &c., were carried like chaff before the wind, and near the village a stable belonging to Dr. J. J. O'Bannon was blown down and four horses were killed.

Mrs. James A. Oates, the well-known actress, has dissolved partnership, matrimonial and professional, with her second husband, Tracy Titus. It appears to have been a case of mother-in-law; Mrs. Oates' mother having cross-examined Tracy in regard to some lady, and his memory, like Beecher's being defective, Mrs. Oates put her husband out of her apartment and her business. Now Mrs. Oates runs a portion of the theatrical company and her husband another, rendering the house divided against itself and marital divorce imminent.

MARTINS—I had a martin box near my orchard this season. I observed the tents of these caterpillars forming on several different apple trees, which were neglected through the hurry of farm work, but to my surprise they all had disappeared without my help. Having a wild cherry tree near my orchard, which had been much troubled with tent worms, I noticed the martins in great numbers flying about this tree. In watching their motions I soon discovered that they were devouring the tent worms. Hence I could easily infer what had become of these on my apple tree. If any one would free himself from this pest, it can be done, I think, by keeping a number of martin boxes in or near his orchard.

They that do nothing are on the way to do worse than nothing.

## NOTICE.

OFFICE SCHOOL COMMISSIONER, ORANGEBURG, COUNTY.

May 10th 1875.  
Notice is hereby given that the following appointments have this day been made by the School Commissioner of said County:

BOARD OF EXAMINERS:  
Thomas Phillips, J. H. Fordham, E. A. Webster.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES:

Yancey No. 1.—A. P. Avinger, Rufus Felder, Jesse Williams.

Poplar No. 2.—Dr. A. Baxter, Wm. Green, Wm. Paulling.

Pine Grove No. 3.—A. R. Fludd, W. W. Vice Smith Glover.

Amelia No. 4.—P. E. Jones, F. J. Bayck, P. M. General.

Providence No. 5.—David Bull, Thos. Allen, Harry Welfare.

Goodlands No. 6.—J. F. Way, Solomon R. Felder, Cesar Abraham.

Lyons No. 7.—A. O. Holman, F. W. Williams, A. C. Williams.

Cow-Castle No. 8.—David L. Conner, Levi Summers, Peter Carson.

Middle No. 9.—J. P. M. Fours, Thos. J. Phillips, Cesar Quinton.

Orange No. 10.—Samuel Dibble, V. D. Bowman, Harry Glover.

Cow-Caw No. 11.—O. B. Riley, Peter Gladden, Vandy Murph.

Branchville No. 12.—W. H. Reedish, Edward Green, Geo. Baxter.

New Hope No. 13.—Oliver Fairry, Jas. Summers, Geo. Garvin.

Elizabeth No. 14.—R. Y. Dannerly, Joseph Bash, Rufus Whetstone.

Edisto No. 15.—Samuel J. Izlar, Allen Brown, June Antley.

Union No. 16.—Wm. Myers, Jeff Zeigler, Ellis Fours.

Zion No. 17.—Wm. N. Mount, James Parker, Henry Haues.

Willow No. 18.—E. J. Frederick, J. T. Williamson, Isaac Senior.

Liberty No. 19.—J. H. Livingston, Geo. Blume, Rufus Pot.

Goodland No. 20.—Geo. T. Frederick, W. L. Elmy, Alex Brown.

Hebron No. 21.—D. R. Shanahan, Phillip Carson, S. R. Logan.

Rocky Grove No. 22.—J. D. Knotts, Louis Woodward, Jacob Schofield.

The School Trustees above appointed, "within fifteen days, shall take an oath or affirmation faithfully and impartially to discharge the duties of their office, which oath the members are authorized to administer to each other.

THOMAS PHILLIPS,  
County School Commissioner  
Orangenburg County

## T. KOHN & BROTHER

Take pleasure in announcing to the public that they will occupy their

## NEW AND SPACIOUS BRICK STORE

AS THE

## DRY GOODS EMPORIUM

OF

## ORANGEBURG,

(On the Site of the Store Occupied by them before the Fire.)

ON OR BEFORE MAY 1st.

Our SPRING SHOW of New and Elegant Goods for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children's wear, will comprise the LATEST NOVELTIES in

DRESS GOODS,  
White Goods, Notions, Domestic, Clothing  
Shoes and Gaiters, Hats and Furnishing Goods.

It is with feelings of gratitude that we return our sincere thanks to a kind and generous Public for the sympathy and liberal patronage bestowed on us since the recent calamity by fire.

We enter upon our new career with redoubled energy to carry out our old maxim

"WE STRIVE TO PLEASE."

Promising a polite reception, we most cordially invite all who wish to see the very BEST THINGS for Fashionable Ladies, Gents and Children's wear to call at

THEODORE KOHN & BROTHER.

New Dry Goods Emporium.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OFFICE

Orangenburg, S. C., April 30, 1875.

Sealed proposals will be received at the Office of the Board of County Commissioners for Orangenburg County, until May 31, 1875, for the building of a COURT HOUSE for said County, in the Town of Orangenburg, S. C. Plans and specifications prepared by R. R. Hewetson, Esq., Architect, can be seen and examined at the Office of the said Board, at any time, upon application. Such proposals to be addressed to the "Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners for Orangenburg County, and to be endorsed 'Proposals for Building Court House'.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids, if deemed by them best for the interest of the County to do so.

By Order of the Board.

GEO. BOLIVER,  
Clerk of Co. Com'rs.  
Orangenburg, S. C.,  
1875

## NOTICE.

The Life of the late Dr. Thornwell prepared by Dr. Palmer of New Orleans—now ready for the press, is to be published by subscription. Price \$3.00.

Those desiring to own the book will find a list at Mr. Kirk Robinson's Book Store.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG.

CLERKS OF COURTS OFFICE.

Whereas, an Act of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina approved March 25th 1875, to incorporate the Town of FORT MOTTE Orangenburg County S. C. and therein requiring the Clerk of Court for the County and State aforesaid, to declare the Election of officers of the said Town, when the same shall have been held. Therefore be it known, that in accordance with said Act, it is hereby declared, that the Election held on the 3rd day of May 1875, the following persons were duly elected, viz:

Intendant,  
J. A. McKENZIE.

Wardens,  
Geo. Brown,  
W. M. N. RAY,  
S. L. DUNCAN,  
JESSE STUART.

Given under my hand and seal this the 4th day of May A. D. 1875.

GEO. BOLIVER, [L. S.]  
C. C. P.

## For Sale

7 000 SHINGLES.  
Apply at this office.

May 8th 1875.

## A CARD.

Dr. Barton & Legare would beg to inform their patients, especially those in the country, that during their necessary absence between Office Hours, all calls must be left at Dr. Duke's Drug Store, where they will be promptly received and attended to on their immediate return.  
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## For Sale.

A Small, little HOUSE and LOT in the Town of Orangenburg—can be traded for at private sale until 1st Monday in June—will then be offered at public outcry, and sold to the highest bidder. Property obliged to be sold.

Apply to THAD C. ANDREWS.  
May 8th 1875.

## Dissolution Copartnership.

The Copartnership heretofore existing between John D. Fogle and G. W. Baxter, and doing business under the firm name of Fogle & Baxter, is this dissolved by mutual consent.

JOHN D. FOGLE,  
J. W. BAXTER.  
Orangenburg, S. C., April 1875.

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## Notice of Dismissal.

Notice is hereby given to all concerned, that on the first day of June, 1875, I will file my final account as GUARDIAN of GEORGE ALEXANDER S. JENNINGS, in the Probate Court for Orangenburg County, and will petition said Court for my final discharge.

FRANCIS M. BAMBERG,  
Guardian of G. A. S. Jennings.  
Orangenburg, S. C., April 24th, 1875.

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## NOTICE OF DISMISSAL.

Notice is hereby given that I will file my final account with the Judge of Probate for Orangenburg county on the 17th day of May, 1875, and ask for letters of Dismissal as Administrator of the Estate of Archy Wilson.

H. W. JENNINGS,  
Administrator.  
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## DR. M. G. SALLEY.

Has moved his office to ROOMS over Mr. VOSE'S STORE.

## OFFICE HOURS FROM

7 TO 9 A. M. and from 1 to 4 P. M.

Calls for DR. A. S. SALLEY can be left at his office or at Mr. Vose's Store.

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## FOR SALE.

ONE RESIDENCE in the town of Orangenburg, containing six LARGE ROOMS, with all necessary OUTBUILDINGS—fine Well of water, Garden, Orchard, &c.

Cheap and terms liberal to a responsible purchaser.

ALSO  
A RESIDENCE of smaller dimensions Cheap for cash.

ALSO  
A splendid FARM on the edge of Corporation line. Will be sold cheap, and on liberal terms. A splendid Truck Farm.

ALSO  
A very desirable LOT, with Small Dwelling. A bargain. Apply at

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## \$5 to \$20

Per Day at Home. Terms free.

Address G. STINSON & CO.,  
Portland, Maine.

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